

MPH (1949) Department.

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G.O. NO. 1265 PH

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[Despatch Abstract.]

P.H. - Bellary Muz - Incidence of Venereal Disease -
Extension of Part III of the MPH Act -
Orders passed.

B.V.Seshagiri Rao, B.Com
Secretary,
Bellary Vigilance Association,
Bellary.

Bellary,
D/ 21-1-1947

To
The Hon'ble Minister for Public Health,
Government of Madras,
Madras.

Sir/Madam,

Re: Extension of Part 3 of Public Health Act:

I have the honour to communicate herewith the resolution passed by the Bellary Vigilance Association at its Annual Meeting held at Bellary on the 19th instant when Mrs.V.T. Lakshmi, Provincial Women Welfare Worker, was also present.

The Resolution reads as follows:

"Resolved that the Government of Madras be requested to extend to the Bellary Municipal area Part 3 of the Public Health Act."

My Committee has been in existence since 1939 when certain sections of the Madras Suppression of Immoral Traffic Act was extended to the Bellary Municipality. The Municipality had been requested to make a grant for the opening of a shelter to effectively work the Act within the Municipal limits.

From Police records and hospital statistics, it has been observed that there have been more than 700 Prostitutes in Bellary including 200 coming from the Harijan and Depressed Classes. Bellary as you are aware is a place of commercial importance in the Ceded Districts and the late war has accentuated the evil of immorality. Hospital statistics reveal that in the case of some classes of women 50 per cent of them have been affected by venereal diseases in most cases not necessarily self-acquired. The venereal diseases therefore have considerably affected the population though it is impossible to obtain correct statistics about them in view of the delicacy felt by anybody who own the affection.

The Public Health Act no doubt contains in Part 3 the duties of the Municipality towards prevention, cure and eradication of venereal diseases.

My committee therefore feels that in the interest of public health in a growing city it is necessary that this portion of the Public Health Act should be extended to the Bellary Municipal area. We would request therefore that this representation may kindly be taken into consideration and the Government be pleased to extend Part 3 of the Public Health Act to the Bellary Municipal Area.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
our most obedient servant

Copy to:
The Commissioner, Bellary Municipality.
District Collector, Bellary.
Director of Public Health, Madras.
District Health Officer, Bellary.
Madras Vigilance Association, Madras.

B. Seshagiri Rao
Secretary

Refer to
Law Minister
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REMINDER.

Public Health Branch.

To THE Director of Public Health
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have the honour to invite.

I am directed to invite attention to Govt Enct.
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No. 14209/-1 E.P.H. dated 12-3-47. and
to request that the reply to it may be expedited
request that this reminder may be returned at once
with information as to—

- (1) the stage at which the matter now is,
- (2) the date by which a reply may be expected,
and
- (3) the circumstances which have caused the
delay.

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Station Fort St. George
Signature, Assistant Secretary
Designation.

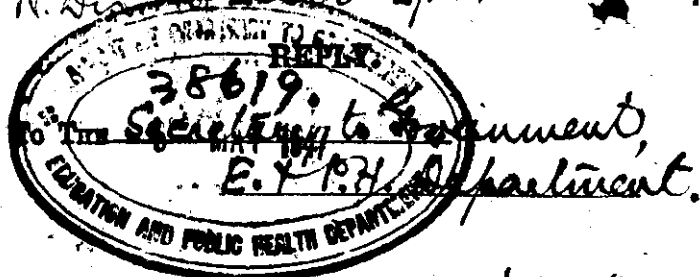
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SUBJECT. 12. Govt.

Act - Extension of part
of chapters of the M. P. H Act
to Bellary City

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The Municipal Health Officer, Bellary has been addressed in the matter and immediately his remarks are received my reply will be sent to Government.

J. Thomas

Director of Public Health

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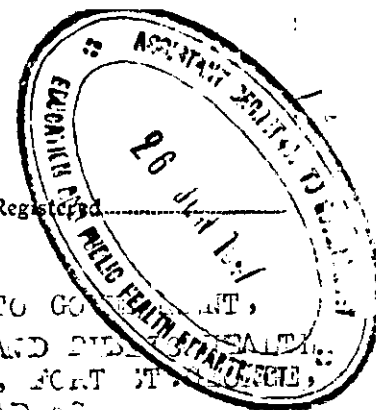
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PUBLIC HEALTH Department
From (Name) RAO BAHADUR DR. R. K. LATHI
M.R.C.P. D.T.M. & H. D.P.H.
Designation DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Station MADRAS.

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To

The SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH
DEPARTMENT, FORT ST.
MADRAS.



Enclosures :

Rc. No. 17656-2 Bpi dated 24 - 6 1947

Sir,

Sub : Venereal Diseases- Bellary Municipality -Eradication of, and extension of Part III of Public Health Act.

Ref : Government Endorsement No.14209/47-1E1 P.H. P.H. dated 12-3-47 and reminder dated 10-6-47.

A reply to the above reference will be submitted to Government after an inspection of the Municipality by the Assistant Director of Public Health Environmental Hygiene next month.

R. Manthani 24/6
for Director of Public Health, Madras.

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on 20-7-07 if necessary

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PUBLIC HEALTH Department

From (Name) Rao Bahadur Dr. R. M. Mathew, To

D.T. M&H., D.P.H., L.R.C.P.,
Designation Director of Public Health,

Station Madras.

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The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Dept.,
Fort St. George, MADRAS.

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Enclosures :

R.No. 17656--5/Lpi dated 6th August 1947

Sir,

Sub:- Madras Public Health Act--Extension of Part III
of Chapter VII of the Madras Public Health Act
to Bellary municipality.

Ref:- Government Reminder dated 23--7--47. in

The matter is under correspondence with the
Surgeon-General, Madras. My remarks will be submitted to
Government, on receipt of his reply.

J. Thomas
7/8/47

for Director of Public Health, P.O.
Madras.

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Refec. 214/47.E.1.

District Magistrate's office, Bellary,
Dated 4th August 1947.

From

K.N. Anantharaman Esq., I. C. S.,
District Magistrate, Bellary.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Madras.

Through

The Director of Public Health,
Madras.

Sir,

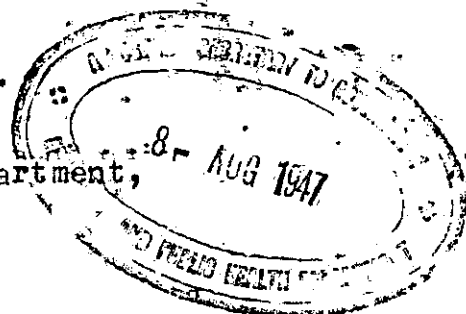
Madras Public Health Act--Venereal diseases--Bellary Municipality--
Extension of the Provisions of Part III of Ch. VII of M.P.H., Act--
Proposals.

Ref:--1. Bellary Municipal Health Officer's R.C.NO.E.I. 3309/47 dated
29th July 1947.

2. Letter No. nil dated 21/1/47 addressed to the Hon'ble Minister
of Public Health, Madras by the Bellary Vigilance Association.

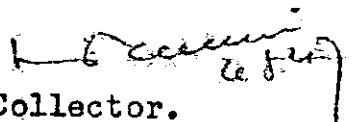
I invite your attention to the references
cited above and recommend the scheme with the following suggestions.

No doubt the whole scheme propounded by
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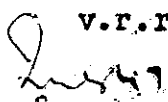


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the Municipal Health Officer, Bellary is quite good, I should say ideal, but I am of opinion that it is a bit costly. I, therefore, suggest that the sum of Rs. 60,000 set apart for treatment may not be taken into account. The ~~Yer~~ Hospital Bellary, will treat the patients free of cost. One Ablution room for the whole of Bellary town may be provided for ~~with~~ in the scheme to start with. The Bellary Municipality may be insisted upon to bear the cost of the scheme.


For Collector.

v.r.r. 4/8/47



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Ref: Govt. Indt. No. 14209/47-1/E, P.H. 8/12-3-42

Memo. 14209/47-2/E, P.H. 8.27.8.47.

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The D.P.H. is requested to state when a final ~~may be~~ ^{may be so} ~~expedited~~ ^{expedited} reply to the Govt. Envt. cited above.

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From (Name) Rao Bahadur Dr. R.M. Mathew, D.P.H., D.T.M. & H., M.R.C.P., Designation Director of Public Health, Station Madras.		To The Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department, Fort St. George, Madras.	

Enclosures :

R. No. 17656-6/Epl., dated 3rd September 1947.

Sir,

Sub:- Venereal diseases - Bellary Municipality -
Eradication of.

Ref:- (1) Government Endt. No. 14209/47-1-E1-P.H., dated 12-3-47.
(2) This office letter Rc. 17656-2/Epl., dated 24-6-47.
(3) This office letter Rc. 17656-5-Epl., dated 6-8-47.

I forward herewith for the information of Government a copy of the notes of inspection on the subject by the Assistant Director of Public Health (Environmental Hygiene), together with a copy of letter R. No. 54314 H., dated 26-8-47 from the Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras. In the circumstances stated therein, I recommend that Part III of Chapter VII of the Public Health Act may be extended to Bellary Municipality.

for Director of Public Health, Madras.

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J. M. Thomas
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Copy of letter R.No.54314 H. dated 26-8-47 of the Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras.

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Ref:- Your letter R.No.17656-4/Epl., dated 8-7-47 regarding Venereal Diseases - Bellary Municipality - Eradication of - Extension of part 3 of Public Health Act.

I consider it highly desirable that Part III of the Public Health Act should be extended to Bellary Municipality. The incidence of communicable diseases is high both in the Municipality and the District.

A special Venereal Diseases clinic with full facilities for diagnosis and treatment in the whole time charge of trained medical officers (1 male and 1 female) should be established by the Municipality or as an alternative be established and maintained by Government at the Headquarters Hospital. The latter would be preferable in that the provision of venereal disease wards for males and females are being asked for as part of Post-war development scheme.

S.K.V. 4-9-47

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Thomas 5/12/47
for Director of Public Health, Madras.

Copy of the inspection notes of the Asst. Director of Public Health (E.Hyg.) dated 5-7-47.

Handwritten Ref:- Govt. Endt.No.14209-47-1/E.1-P.H., from the Secretary, Vigilance Association, Bellary, for remarks.

A I inspected Bellary municipality on 3 and 4-7-47 in connection with the above Govt.Memo. I visited the Headquarters Hospital and discussed the problem with the D.M.O.(Col.Sewell) in charge of the institution. He was of the opinion that prevalence of V.D. was no doubt very high in Bellary Municipality - about 50 to 60% of the population. The following are the figures as per hospital statistics.

Year.	A. Total admissions under all causes.	B.Total for new admissions under venereal diseases.	Syphilis.	Gonor-rhoea.	C. Remarks. Other diseases of venereal origin.
1940.	74947	873	394	271	208
1941.	61595	522	292	117	113
1942.	72804	1358	513	686	189
1943.	68286	1685	687	829	169
1944.	73518	1323	578	509	236
1945.	71027	1178	534	351	293
1946.	66149	1026	511	230	285

The above figures do not give a correct idea of the incidence of the disease in the municipality as only very few cases go to the hospital.

The W.M.O. (M.& C.W.) also discussed the matter with me on 3-7-47. She informed me that incidence of V.D. was very high among Gosha Muslim population and that only a very few people came to hospital for treatment.

Gosha Hospital - The following figures give incidence of V.D. among admissions in the Gosha Hospital for the years 1944 to 1946:-

Year.	Total out-patient admissions.	No. of Venereal disease cases.
1944.	18153	67
1945.	16998	346
1946.	15283	120

The infantile mortality rate for the past few years is also given below:-

Year.	I.M.R.	Year.	I.M.R.	Year.	I.M.R.
1940.	208.43	1943.	205.25	1946.	140.9
1941.	233.67	1944.	160.68		
1942.	190.75	1945.	137.39		

The above figures also do not give a true picture as to the incidence of venereal disease in the municipality.

The following statement gives the number of still-births as compared with the total number of births:-

Year.	Total births.	No. of still-births.	Rate per mille.
1941.	1930	106	
1942.	2055	105	
1943.	2056	113	50.0 to 55.0
1944.	2228	104	
1945.	2240	103	
1946.	2131	110	

The rate of still births is high - average for municipal towns - about 42 per mille.

With regard to incidence of Tuberculosis mentioned by the M.H.O. in his report, the following statement gives yearwar figures:-

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Year.	Total deaths.	No. of deaths due to T.E.
1940.	2012	156
1941.	2099	164
1942.	2206	155
1943.	1871	176
1944.	1655	203
1945.	1511	170
1946.	1556	199

There is no doubt a slight increase in deaths from T.B.

There is neither a special V.D. clinic attached to the Hd.Qrs. Hospital, Bellary, nor facilities for carrying out Wasserman reaction and other tests. As such it has not been possible to assess correctly the incidence of the disease. Col. Sewell informed me that he has proposed for a bacteriological unit to be attached to the Hospital to conduct examinations. He also informed me that unless there was a laboratory with a small unit for conducting bacteriological examination, it will not be possible to deal with the subject in a scientific manner.

There are facilities to give treatment to about 10 males and 4 or 5 females as in-patients in the hospital - with 4 or 5 extra beds. He (D.M.O.) would like to have 16 beds for males and another 16 beds for females, with a M.O. in charge for diagnosis and treatment. One difficulty encountered is that patients take one or two injections and when there is slight relief, run away, without getting complete cure. It is not known how the disease can be eradicated by merely extending Chapter III of the Madras P.H. Act, relating to Venereal Diseases. D.M.O. also thinks that if a woman was infected and was giving the infection to several other persons, there is nothing in the Act by which she could be compelled to resort to the hospital for treatment. Unless such cases are traced out and compulsorily treated, dissemination of the disease will continue.

As per section 78 of the P.H. Act, if Govt. requires that Local Authority should make arrangements for diagnosis and treatment of V.D., the local authority has to carry out the necessary arrangements.

Section 79 deals with the question of physicians giving instructions regarding the method of prevention and spread of the disease, during their first visit to the patient.

This is not being carried out now. If practised, this will no doubt have a propaganda value with regard to prevention of the disease.

With regard to section 80, it is not known how it is practicable to carry out this section - i.e., regarding Medical practitioners certifying that a person is free from venereal disease - without a microscope and facilities for diagnosis and such tests as Wasserman reaction, Khan test.

Govt. have called for the remarks of D.P.H. on the letter of the Secretary, Bellary Vigilance Association, Bellary. Govt. may be informed that sections 78 and 79 of the Act may be extended to Bellary municipality. But if V.D. is to be efficiently controlled, it will be necessary to amend this portion of the Act suitably.

I discussed the matter with Dr. Rajan on 7-7-47, the Venereal Specialist, General Hospital, Madras. He is of the opinion that infection of even 50-60% as opined by the D.M.O. Bellary, is rather high. Nevertheless he (Dr. Rajan) considers that Bellary is also one of the heavily infected districts with regard to incidence of Venereal Diseases, the other heavily infected districts being Guntur, East Godavary and Madura.

Dr. Rajan also considers that the sections under the P.H. Act relating to Venereal Diseases, do not give sufficient powers to Health Authorities to take necessary action, but before any legislation is effected, the first thing to be done is to give proper facilities for diagnosis and treatment at least in Headquarters hospitals. The Headquarters Hospital should

start a clinic in the out-patient Department and attend to diagnosis and treatment of cases. The attention and care in the out-patients is considered more important than the work done in the in-patient, ~~10%~~ department for controlling the disease. 10% of the total beds should be set apart for treatment of venereal cases. At present it will be very difficult to get new buildings. So Dr. Rajan considers that out-patient work can be carried out in one of the existing buildings, but it necessary to have sufficient equipment as well as personnel to treat these cases. There should be one M.O. to attend to males and a W.M.O. to attend to females.

Dr. Rajan considers that application of section 78 of the P.H. Act will not work successfully as the Local Authority will be pleading want of finance. In England, 75% of the cost of such clinics are paid by Govt., and 25% by the Local Body. Therefore Govt., may be informed that sections 78 and 79 of the P.H. Act may be extended to Bellary Municipality, but that if any good is to result, Government should make a contribution of about 60% of the cost of treatment of V.D. cases, the remaining 40% being met by the local body.

Before legislation is effected, intensive propaganda on Venereal Disease is necessary. The Headquarters Hospital, where patients come, is not doing any propaganda. So also the M.Os attached to other hospitals and dispensaries also do not at present do any propaganda for preventing dissemination of the disease. The best time and place for doing propaganda on Venereal diseases, is when a patient comes for treatment. Government may be requested to ask the S.G. to issue instructions to all M.Os to tell the patients all about the prevention of Venereal Disease, as contemplated in Sec. 79 of P.H. Act, when the M.Os come in contact with patients.

R. Anantam Pillai,

7-7-47

Asst. Director of Public Health (E.H.)

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S.K.V. 5-9-47.

for Director of Public Health, Madras.

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E. & P. H. (E.)

Sub: Madras Public Health Act - Extension of Part III of Chapter VII of the Madras Public Health Act to Bellary Municipality.

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Read. (1) Govt. Endt. No. 14209/47-1-E, P.H. dt. 12-3-47.
(2) From the D.P.H. R. No. 17656-6/Epi dt. 29.4.47
Memo 14209/47-4/E, P.H. dt. 1-10-47

The D.P.H. is informed that if the Municipal Council, Bellary is prepared to make the arrangements referred to in Part III of Chapter VII of the Madras Public Health Act, 1939, the question of Govt's ^{disallowance} ~~interference~~ ^{in his arrangements} in the matter ^{will} ~~is~~ not arise. He is requested to obtain and forward the views of the Municipal Council in the matter. In case, the Municipal Council is not agreeable to the proposal, he is requested to obtain from the S. G. an est. mate of the cost involved

[P.T.O.]

Re S.G's

in the alternative proposal made in his letter No.
54314 H. d. 26-8-47 that the Govt should
maintain a Clinic at ^{the} Headquarters Hospital,
Bellary

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To ~~send~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} D.P.A.

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Memo. no. 14209 E1/47 6 P.H. dt 12/12/47

M. P. H. Act - Extension of part III
of Chapter VII to Bellary
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Ref: Memo. no. 14209/47-4 E1 P.H. dt 1.10.47

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To Repd
The D.P.H.

The D.P.H. is requested to
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Memo. no.

M. P. H. let - Extension of
Part III of Chapter VII
to Bellary District.

Ref. - Memo. no. 14209/47-4 E1 P.H. pp 21. CF
dt 1.10.47 and reminder
memo. no. 14209E/47-6 P.H. dt 12.12.47 p 28 CF

The D.P.H. is requested to
send his reply to the memo. cited
above at a very early date.

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To
The D.P.H.

Intn to P. H. 11/1/48

Public Health Department.

To the Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health
Department,
Fort S t. George, Madras.
Rao Bahadur Dr.R.M.Mathew, M.R.C.P.,
D.P.H., D.T.M.&H., ~~Director of Public Health, Egmore,~~
Director of Public Health, Egmore,
Madras-8.

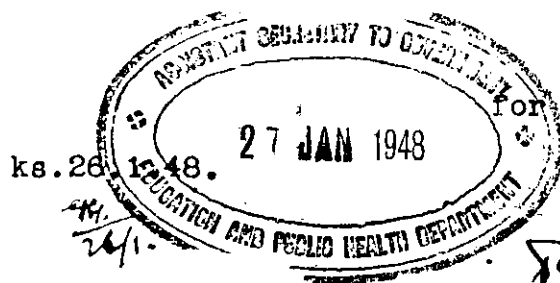
R.No.17656-9-Epi./1947 Dated 23rd January, 1948.

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Sir,

Subject:- Madras Public Health Act -- Extension of Part III of
Chapter VII to Bellary Municipality.

Reference:- Government Memorandum No.14209-E.1/1947-6-P.H., dated
12th December, 1947. *p 23 ante*

The Commissioner, Bellary Municipality, reports that
the subject has been referred to the Public Health Standing Committee
for its opinion. On hearing further from the Commissioner, my reply
will be sent to Government.



J.M. Thomas
26/1/48
for Director of Public Health, Madras.

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The aplo may be ~~renewed~~
again if necessary, on 20/2/48.
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Memo. no. 14209 E1/47-7 P.H dt 23/2/48

M.P.H. Act — Extension of Part III
of Chapter VII to Bellary Mtny.

pp 21-22 CF Ref:- Govt. memo. no. 14209/47-4 E1 P.H
dt 1.10.47
From the D.P.H., Rm. 17656-9-E1/
1947 dt 23.1.48.

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To ~~Dep~~
The D.P.H.
The D.P.H. is requested to state
when his final reply to the Govt.
memo. cited above may be expected
to reach the Govt.
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Public Health Department.

From

Rao Bahadur Dr. R.M. Mathew,
D.P.H., D.T.M.&H., M.R.C.P.
Director of Public Health,
Egmore, Madras-8.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health
Department, Fort St. George,
Madras.

R. No. 17656-11-Epi./'47 Dated 14th March, 1948.

Sir,

Subject:- Madras Public Health Act - Extension of
Part III of Chapter VII to Bellary Municipality.

Reference:- Government Memorandum No. 14209-E1/47-7-P.H.,
Dated 23rd February, 1948. - 1027 a/c

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No further report has been received from the
Commissioner, Bellary Municipality, on the above subject.
A reminder has been sent to him and on receipt of his reply
my remarks will be submitted to Government.

The D.H. may be reminded again
on 15.4.48, if necessary.

10/3/48
for Director of Public Health,
Madras.

J. M. M. 15/3/48

for Director of Public Health,
Madras.

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Memo. no. 14209E1/48-8 P.H. dt 22/4/48

M.P.H. Act - Extension of
Part III of Chapter VII to
Bellary Municipality.

pp 21-22cf Gov. memo. no. 14209/47-4E1 P.H.

dt 1.10.47

pp 28 CF From the D.P.H. Rm. 17656-11-E1/47
dt 14.3.48.

pp 21-22cf The D.P.H. is requested to
expedite his reply to the Govt memo.
cited above.

To D.P.H. JHE
The D.P.H. review
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2. Re: 14.3.48

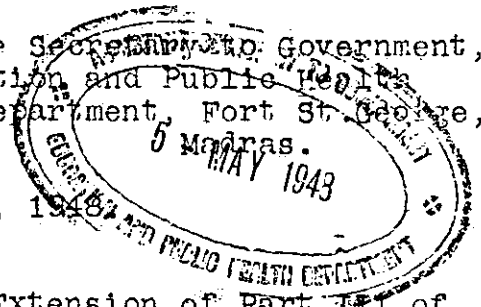
Public Health Department

From

Rao Bahadur Dr.R.M.Mathew,
D.P.H., D.T.M.&H., M.R.C.P., etc.,
Director of Public Health, Egmore,
Madras-8.

To the Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health
Department, Fort St. George,
Madras.

R. No. 17656-12-Epi./1947 Dated 30th April, 1948



Sir,

Subject:- Madras Public Health Act -- Extension of Part III of Chapter VII to Bellary Municipality.

Reference:- Government Memorandum No.14209/E.1/47-7 dated 23-2-48.

I forward herewith a copy of letter No.D.Dis.3309/47 dated 31-3-48 of the Commissioner, Bellary Municipality, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the Public Health Standing Committee on the above subject for favour of information.

J. M. Thomas
31/7/48

For Director of Public Health, Madras.
Copy of Commissioner's letter.

"A copy of the Resolution No.8 dated 22-3-48 of the Public Health Standing Committee on the above subject is communicated. Council has also ratified the resolution of the Public Health Standing Committee."

Proceedings of the Public Health Standing Committee held on 22-3-48 at Public Health Standing Committee Meeting in the Municipal Office, Bellary.

Read:- C.R.No.468 dated 17.12.47 referring the subject regarding eradication of Venereal diseases in the town to the Public Health Standing Committee.

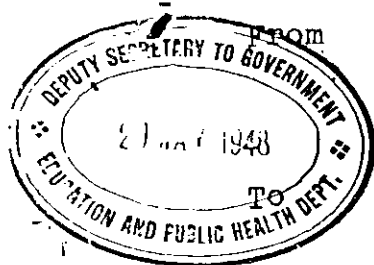
Resolution:- NOT NECESSARY. Sd.M.Gangappa, 22-3-48, Chairman,
Municipal Council, Bellary.

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Public Health Department.



From
Rao Bahadur Dr. R.M. Mathew, D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
M.R.C.P., etc.,
Director of Public Health, Egmore, Madras - 8.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Madras. ✓

Sir,

R.No.17656-14 (Epi.)/1947 dated 18th May 1948.

Subject: Madras Public Health Act - Extention of Part III
of Chapter VII of the Madras Public Health Act to
Bellary Municipality.

Reference: Government Memorandum No.14209/E.1/'47-9-P.H.,
dated 8th May, 1948. *p 35 ante*

The Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras has already
been requested to forward at an early date the estimate called for
in Government Memorandum No.14209/47-4-E.1-P.H., dated 1st October,
1947. My reply will be sent to Government on receipt of his report.

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ante

E.P.H (E1)

J. Thomas
27/5/48

The D.P.H. may be reminded on 29/6/48, if necessary.
for Director of Public Health, Madras.

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Memo. No. 14209 E1/47-10 P.H. dt 3/7/48

M.P.H. Act - Extension of Part III
of Chapter VII of the Act to
Bellary District -

Read: - Gov. memo. no. 14209 E1/47-9
P.H. dt 8/5/48
From the D.H. R no. 17656-14
Epi/47 dt 18/5/48.

The attention of the D.H. is
invited to the Gov. memo. read
above and he is requested to send
an early reply thereto.

To

The D.H.

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Public Health Department.

From
Rao Bahadur Dr.R.M.Mathew,
D.P.H., D.T.M.&H., M.R.C.P. etc.,
Director of Public Health, Madras.
Sir,

To the Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.
R.No.17656-15/Epi., Dated 22-7-1948.
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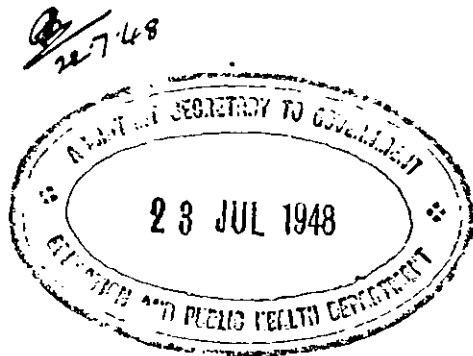
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Subject:- Madras Public Health Act - Extension of Part III of Chapter V
of the Act to Bellary District.

Reference:- Government Memorandum No.14209/E.1/47-P.H., dated 3-7-48.

p39 ante
The estimate from the Surgeon-General with the Government of
Madras has not yet been received. On receipt of his estimate, a reply will
be sent to Government.

ks.22.7.48.

J.M. Thomas
22/7/48
For Director of Public Health, Madras.



E.P.H.(E1)
The D.P.H. maybe reminded
again on 22/8/48, if necessary.
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Memo. No. 14209E, 147-11PH & 28/9/48

MPH Act - Extension of Part III of
Chapter VII of the Act to Bellary Dist.

p41cf By Your Lr. R. No. 17656-15/Epi gvt of
22-7-48

The DPH is requested to
state when the final reply referred to
in his letter cited may be expected.

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To The DPH
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Public Health Department.

From
Rao Bahadur Dr. R.M. Mathew,
D.P.H., D.T.M.&H., M.R.C.P., etc.,
Director of Public Health, Egmore,
Madras-8.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.
R.No.17656-18-Epi./47 Dated 16-10-1948.

Sir,

Subject:- Madras Public Health Act - Extension of Part 3 of Chapter VII of the Act to Bellary Municipality.

Reference:- Government Memorandum No.14209/E.1/47-11-P.H., dated 28-9-48

The Surgeon-General, Madras, has stated in his letter No.69292 48-4 dated 5-10-48 (copy enclosed) that the matter is pending with the District Medical Officer, Bellary. On receipt of Surgeon-General's report a final reply will be sent to Government.

Yours faithfully,

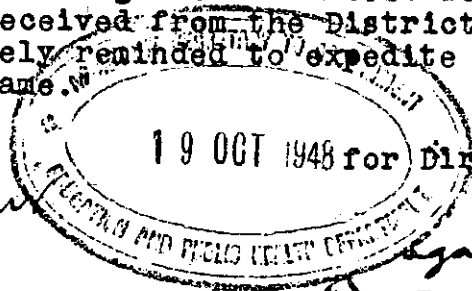
J. Thomas 18/10/48

for Director of Public Health,
Madras.

Copy of Surgeon-General's letter:-

"Detailed proposals together with cost both recurring and non-recurring have not yet been received from the District Medical Officer, Bellary. He is being separately reminded to expedite his reply. It will be forward on receipt of the same."

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J. Thomas 18/10/48

for Director of Public Health, Madras,

The D.M.O. may be reminded again if may on 20-11-48

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Sub MPH Act, Extension of Part 3 of
Chapter VII of the Act to Biliary Mty.

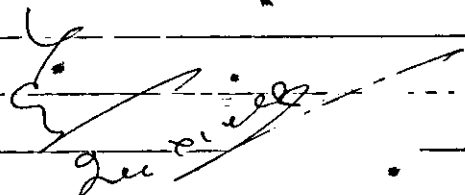
From the DPH, R-no 17656-18 EP/47 of 16-10-48

The DPH is requested
to expedite the ^{submission of this} final report promised
in his letter cited.

To
The DPH

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G. E. P. Jones

From

To

Rao Bahadur Dr. R. M. Mathew, The Secretary to Government,
D. P. H. (C. M. B.), Education and Public
Director of Public Health, Health Department, Fort Saint
Madras. George, Madras.

R. No. 217656-48-Epi. 18 dated 14-12-48.

Sub:- Madras Public Health Act-Extension of Part III of Chapter VII of the Act to Bellary Municipality..

With reference to the Government Memo No. 214209-E.I-47-9 P.H dated 8-5-48 I forward herewith a copy of the letter R. No. 69292-H 48 dated 8-12-48 from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, Madras furnishing an estimate of cost for the opening of a Venereal clinic in the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary.

for Director of Public Health, Madras.

Copy of letter R. No. 69292 H/48 dated 8-12-48 from the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Director of Public Health, Madras.

Ref:- Your No. R. 17656-15 Epi/47 dated 22-7-48 regarding Madras Public Health Act-extension of part III of Chapter VII of the Act to Bellary District.

I forward herewith a copy of letter No. 5573/48 dated 28th November 1948 of the District Medical Officer, Bellary furnishing proposals for the opening of a Venereal clinic in the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary together with recurring and non-recurring expenditure.

Copy of letter No. 5573/48 dated 28-11-48 of the District Medical Officer, Bellary.

Ref:- Surgeon-General's Memo No. 69292-H/48 dated 16-8-48 regarding Public Health Act-Extension of Part III of Chapter VII of the Act of Bellary District.

I agree with the Director of Public Health, Madras and Dr. Raj Venereal Diseases Specialist, Government General Hospital, Madras, regarding incidence of venereal disease in the municipality. Col. Sewell has already made out a case for full facilities for diagnosis and treatment in the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary in his letter No. 4333/47 dated 14-8-47 in reply to Surgeon-General No. 54314 H/17-7-47.

I furnish below proposals for opening of a Venereal Clinic in the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary.

Staff:- 1. Civil Assistant Surgeon Class II trained in Venereal diseases:-

- 1 Woman Assistant Surgeon Class II -do-
- 1 Female Social Worker.
- 1 Laboratory Technician
- 3 Men Nurses
- 2 Women Nurses
- 4 Male Nursing Orderlies.
- 2 Female Nursing Orderlies.
- 3 Sweepers
- 1 Clerk-typist
- 1 Attender.

The above is in accordance with Madras Public Health Act Part III of Chapter VII of the Act and also as per Surgeon-General's Memo No. 56538-8-E1 dated 12/23-11-48.

The Bellary Municipality in its resolution No. 8 dated 22rd March 48 has considered "Not Necessary" the enforcement or extension of Part III of Chapter VII (Eradication of Venereal diseases in the town. Hence the Government has to take up this work, meeting the entire cost of recurring and non-recurring expenditure.

The figures furnished under buildings and equipment are approximate since they may go up at any moment.

Annexure I.

Recurring Expenditure:

I. Staff:

1 Civil Assistant Surgeon Class II Pay	100		
Dearness allowance.	26		
Other compensatory allowance.	30	x 12	Rs. 1872
1 Woman Assistant Surgeon Class II Pay	100		
Dearness allowance.	26	x 12	1512
1 Female Social worker (60+24) x 12			1008
1 Laboratory Technician (Pay 45-5-75)	40		
Dearness allowance	21	x 12	732
3 Men Nurses			
2 Women Nurses } Pay 85			
Dearness allowance.	24		
House " 30			
Dhoby " 3		x 5 x 12	8895
Uniform " 75-P.A.			
4 Male Nursing Orderlies			
2 Female " " } Pay 17			
Dearness allowance.	18	x 6 x 12	2520
3 Sweepers Pay 15			
Dearness allowance.	18	x 3 x 12	1188
1 Clerk-typist Pay 45			
Dearness allowance.	22	x 12	804
1 Attender Pay 25			
Dearness allowance.	18	x 12	516
II. Medicines & Equipment.			10000
			29047
			29047

Total.

29047

Non-Recurring:

Buildings:	Laboratory.	10,000 approximately.
	Venereal clinic Outpatients (Men & Women)	
	Ward of 12 beds each for men and women.	85,000
Equipment.	Men and Women as per list given by Dr. Rajan.	15,000
		110,000

Total Expenditure Recurring Rs. 29,047

Non-Recurring 110,000

139,047

for Director of Public Health, Madras.

C.V.R./14-12.Exd.

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see statement on next page

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P. H. - Bellary Mty - Incidence of Venereal Disease - Extension of Part III of the MPH Act - Orders passed

From the Secy, Bellary Vigilance Assocn
 letter 21-1-47

Collector, Bellary Dt. No. 214/42.E.2
 DPH R No. 17656-6 Epi 2 4-8-47
 -12 .. 30-4-48
 -18 .. 14-12-48

C.O. no. 1265 PH 2. 7-4-49

In Jan 47, the Secy, Vigilance Association, Bellary communicated to the Govt. ~~the~~^a resolution of the Assocn to the effect that the provisions of Part III of the MPH Act, 1939 may be extended to the Bellary Municipal Area with a view to check the high prevalence of venereal disease in the Bellary town. The proposal has been examined in consultation with the DPH and the S.C. Under Section 78(1) of the MPH Act, the Bellary Mty, if so required by the Govt. should make such arrangements ^{may be directed} as ~~desired~~^{by them Govt.} to eradicate the disease. ~~But since~~ ^{however} The M.C. Bellary is not ^{in a position} financially ~~sound~~

~~To take up a scheme for the eradication~~
 of venereal disease in its local area, The Govt. ^{has} therefore examined the possibility of opening a venereal clinic ~~attached~~^{at} to the Bellary Head quarters Hospital with the aid of provincial revenues. ~~and~~ ^{have} ~~decided~~^{finally} that in view of the

to open and maintain a special venereal clinic with full facilities for diagnosis and treatment

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present financial stringency, the Scheme should be deferred. It will, however be taken up in its turn under the P.W.R. Scheme No 101 which provides for the improvements or reconstruction as may be necessary of all district headquarters hospitals, each hospital to have among other things a special department for the treatment of Venereal diseases ~~cases~~.

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The Secy,
Vigilance
Association,
Bellary
Collector, Bellary
Commr. Bellary Mty. Rm
DPH. ✓
S. C. ✓
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Sub: Madras Public Health Act - Extension of Part III of Chapter VII of the Madras Public Health Act to Bellary Municipality

p107 Read (1) From the Secy. Bellary Vigilance Assn, Bellary. D. 21-1-47

p1407 (2) From the District Magistrate, Bellary, R. No. 214/47-E, D. 4-8-47

p1507 (3) From the D. P. H. N. No. 17656-6/Epi d. 25.47

Please see the letter from the Secy, Bellary Vigilance Assn. at p. 3 ~~cf~~ and the orders of the former H. M (P. H.) at 'x' on p. 3 ~~cf~~ the request of the Secy. of the Assn is that Part III of Chapter VII of the Public Health Act, 1939 may be extended to the Bellary Municipality with a view to eradicate venereal diseases in the Municipality. The remarks of the D. P. H. at the S. G. on the proposal are at pp. 15-16 ~~cf~~. Under section 78(1) in Part III of Chapter VII of the Act, a local authority may, and if so required by the Govt. shall make such arrangements in its local area as may be directed by the Govt. for the free diagnosis and treatment of persons suffering or suspected to suffer from venereal diseases etc. It does not appear from the letter of the D. P. H. at p. 15 ~~cf~~ that the Municipal Council, Bellary has been consulted in the matter. If the Municipal Council is prepared to make the arrangements referred to in Part III of Chapter VII of the Act, the question of Govt's ~~the~~ interference in the matter does not seem to arise. The question of Govt. making arrangements in the matter may be taken up only if the Municipal Council is unable to do it. The Collector of Bellary seems to be of the view that the Bellary Municipality should take the responsibility. (Vide 'x' on p. 12 ~~cf~~)

& Section 7

The S.G. has stated that a Special Venereal Clinic with full facilities for diagnosis and treatment in the whole time charge of trained medical officers (one male & one female) should be established ^{by the Municipality} or as an alternative be established and maintained by Govt at Headquarters Hospital, Bellary. The D.P.H. may first be requested to consult the Municipal Council on the question of extension of the Act. He may also be requested to obtain from the S.G. ^{an} estimate of the cost involved in his alternative proposal ^{for} the Govt ^{may} maintain ^{the} Clinic at Headquarters Hospital, Bellary.

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A draft memo is submitted. S.A. may see ^{to file} before issue.

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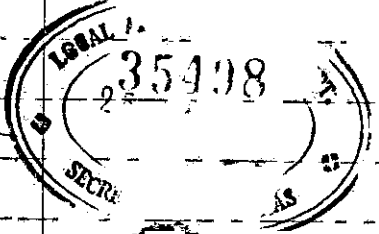
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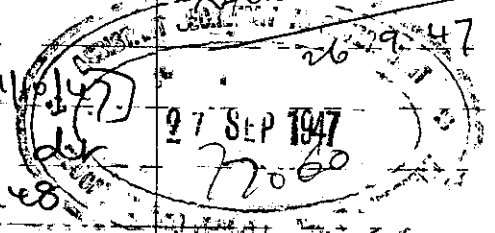
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The draft may now issue

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from the D.P.H. Rmo. 17656/42 - Epi / 1947
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Please see the memo. to the D.P.H. on pages 21-22 & his reply

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on page 33 CF. The Municipal Council, Bellary, is not prepared to make the necessary arrangements in the matter of its own accord. The question of the Govt. making the necessary arrangements ~~has~~ now to be considered. For this purpose, the DPH has not furnished the estimate of cost called for in the memo. on pages 21-22 CF. The Director may now be requested to furnish it now. A draft memo. is subd. for approval.

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From the DPH, R. No. 17651-48 Epi 18 & 14-12-48

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Sections 78, 79 and 80 of which form Part III of the ~~DPH~~ Act of 1935 contain provisions for the treatment of venereal diseases by local authorities. Under Section 78 (1) of the Act, a local authority may, and if so required by the Govt. shall, make such arrangements in its local area as may be directed by the Govt. for the free diagnosis and treatment of persons suffering, or suspected to suffer, from venereal diseases and the prevention of infection from such diseases.

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In Jan 47, the Secy, Bellary, and Vigilance Assocn communicated to the Govt. a resolve of the Assocn to the effect that the Govt. be requested to extend to the Bellary Mpl area Part III of

The MPH Act relating to the treatment of Venereal diseases. ^(On this connection) The Collector of Bellary expressed the view that the Bellary Mty should take the initiative and bear the entire cost involved in ~~the~~ providing ~~of~~ the necessary facilities for ^{the control and} treatment of venereal diseases. The S.C. who was consulted in the matter stated that a special venereal clinic with full facilities for diagnosis and treatment in the whole-time charge of trained medical officers (one male & one female) should be established by the Mty or ~~an~~ the alternative be established and maintained by the Govt at the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary. Accordingly the M.C., Bellary was first consulted as to whether the M.C. was prepared to make arrangements in the matter as required under sections 78 ~~and~~ 79 ~~and~~ 80 of the MPH Act. The M.C., however, in its Resolution No 8 of 22.3.48 considered it not necessary to enforce or extend the provisions of Part III of the Act. Hence, in the alternative, proposals were called for from the S.C. ^(thru the DPH) for the opening of a venereal clinic in the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary. The extra cost involved in the proposals is Rs 29,047 recurring and Rs 1,10,000 non-recurring. For details pl. see

pp 11-12 CF

p 16 CF

p 25 CF

p 33 CF

p 35 CF

The proposals have since been received and they are at

pp 48 & 49 CF

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~~It may be noted that the time is not now opportune for the Govt to take such a scheme recommended by the S.C. especially in view of financial stringency. If the scheme is introduced in Bellary~~

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under Sec. 78(1) of the H.P.A. Act it is open to the Govt to compel the Bellary m.c. to adopt the scheme referred to above although it has resolved that no arrangements for the treatment and control of venereal diseases are necessary. It is, however, extremely doubtful whether the Council is in a position financially to ^{meet} take up the cost of the arrangements proposed by the S.G. L.A. may advise on this point.

✓ Yes

✓ If the Bellary m.c. is found to be not in a position to take up the scheme the question is whether the Govt may do so at their own cost. It may be admitted that it is at least necessary to provide proper facilities for diagnosis and treatment of V.D. in the Headquarter Hospital. At the same time, this problem of V.D. cannot, it seems, be considered as so urgent as to compel the Govt to take up a costly scheme especially in the present state of financial stringency. It is for consideration, therefore, whether the S.G.'s proposals for the opening of a V.D. clinic in the Headqrs Hospital Bellary may be deferred.

5. Similar may see for remarks if any.

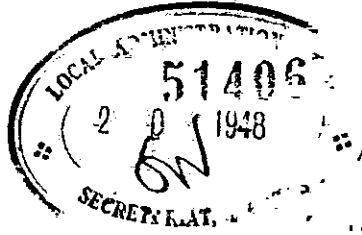
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The note of F.P.H. at pages 3-5 above may be perused.

The question is whether the ~~council~~ Bellary M.L. is in a position to meet the cost involved in opening and maintaining a venereal clinic. The cost of the scheme is Rs 29,047 ^{receiving} and Rs 1,10,000/- ^{non-receiving}.

On the basis of the B.E. for 1948-49 the annual ordinary receipts of the ^{M.L.} ~~council~~ under the General Account exceeds the annual ordinary expenditure by Rs. 46,500. The extra cost on account of payment of enhanced learners allowance is Rs. 17,616. Further this council has applied separately for a loan of Rs. 95,875 towards its contribution for cementing the Highway road lying in the ml. area. The annuity on this loan will come to Rs 8,177.

The question of sanctioning the loan is under consideration. If these items are taken into account the surplus in the General account will be reduced to Rs 20,707.

This surplus will not cover the receiving expenditure of Rs 29,047 involved in the scheme.

The council cannot also meet ^{from its closing balance} the non-receiving cost of Rs 1,10,000/- as the closing balance for 1948-49 under the General Acct is expected to be Rs 43,100/- only.

~~nor can it take a loan for the purpose~~

Thus the council cannot meet the receiving & non-receiving cost of the scheme in the ~~file may be returned to F.P.H.~~

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	43,375	3700
	95,875	8,177

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entirely from its funds. & it can however meet 40 per cent of the cost - both recurring and non-recurring - suggested by the S.P.H., or even 50 per cent if necessary, a loan being given to meet its share of the non-recurring cost.

The file may be returned to E & P.H.

5.1.48. These budget balances are often unreliable - wait for the mt. budget for 1949-50
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Please see from to 6 ante.

The budget estimate of the Bellary mt. ch for 1949-50 has been received and examined.

On the basis of the present budget the General Aet - ordinary is expected to work at a surplus of Rs 29,080. and the Aet for 1949-50 is expected to close with a balance of Rs ~~38,995~~ ^{40,795}.

Thus the financial position with reference to the present budget ~~has not improved~~ ^{is less favourable} than that of the last year's budget. The Council will not be able to meet

anything more than 50% of the cost - recurring and non-recurring. To meet its share of the non-recurring cost the Council will have to be given a loan.

E & P.H may be informed accordingly.

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recurring cost
29047 = 14523
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non-recurring
110,000 x 11 = 55000
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Am. mt. = Rs 55,000

be Rs. 3782 annually
14523 - 1/2 recurring cost

Total
18,305

✓ On the basis of the B.E. of the Council for 1949-50, the general account will have an annual surplus of about Rs.29,000. This is by no means a reliable figure. As has been noticed in the budget file, the income from property tax is obviously over-estimated, credit having been taken for an increase of as much as Rs.70,000 over the actuals for 1947-48 for the reason, it is explained, that the rate of tax on non-agricultural vacant lands has been increased by Government recently. Should this anticipation be not fully realised - as it is most likely - the above surplus will disappear.

Even granting that an annual surplus of about Rs.29,000 can be safely counted on, a small favourable margin like that should, it seems, be always available for essential capital expenditure to a Headquarters municipality with an income of over Rs.5½ lakhs and with practically no accumulated balance and should not be allowed to be wholly taken up by the recurring commitment involved in the scheme in question. This Department may therefore suggest that the Council should not be saddled with any portion of the cost of the proposed scheme.

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The notes from the middle of p 3 ante upto p 5 ante and the notes of L.A. above need not alone be perused. L.A. suggest that the M.C. Bellary should not be saddled with any portion of the cost of the scheme for the prevention and treatment of V.D. in the Mpl. area. This ~~only~~ suggestion may be accepted. The only alternative

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is for the Svt to take up ^{the} ~~a~~ scheme. Attention, in this connection, is invited to the notes in para 4 on p. 5 ante. In the circumstances stated therein, it is now for consideration whether the S. C.'s proposal for the opening of a V.D. Clinic in the H. Q. Hospital Bellary may be deferred. If, however, the scheme is to be pushed through, the remarks of Mr. should also be obtained before orders are taken in circulation.

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P. S. only

The incidence of Venereal Diseases in Bellary H.T. is reported to be as high as 50 to 60% of the population. Financially the local municipal council is not in a position to carry out its obligation under the M. P. H. Act in regard to the provision of facilities for the prevention and treatment of the diseases. The Govt. are therefore left with the alternatives of making the required provision in the local headquarter hospitals or of ~~allowing~~ allowing the present state of things to continue till ~~the Govt.~~ such time as the council and the Govt. are in a better position to accept additional financial commitments.

2/. Scheme No. 101 of the post-war schemes provides for the improvement or

or reconstruction as may be necessary of all district headquarter hospitals. According to the scheme every district headquarter hospital is to have among other things a special ^{department for the} treatment of V.D. cases. So when the Headquarters Hospital Bellary is re-organized under this scheme, it will come to have a special department for the treatment of V.D. cases. But the reconstruction of the Headquarters Hospital Bellary is not in the programme for the first quinquennium and it cannot be said now with any degree of accuracy whether it will be in the programmes for the second or third quinquennium. The question is whether the provision of the special department for the treatment of V.D. patients should wait till it is the turn of the hospital to be reorganized under scheme No. 101 or whether it is in view of the abnormally high incidence of V.D. in Bellary Town & District, it will be taken up in advance of the main scheme.

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3/. The incidence of V.D. is admittedly very high in Bellary. Now if the Govt. are to wait a few years before providing for the treatment of the disease the incidence of ~~dis~~ may go still higher. It is therefore for consideration whether the provision of a special department in the Hd Qrs. Hl Bellary may be taken up in advance of the main scheme. The S.G.'s proposals submitted in this regard are at pp 49-50 etc. If there be no objection the S.Gs. will be asked to obtain and forward

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~~Staff - Secy H.A.~~
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Plans and estimates for the construction of the required buildings. The scheme may then be considered in detail. Since the scheme forms part of scheme No. 101 for the improvement of the H.A. Secy H.A. Bellary, an advance grant may be claimed from the Govt of India in respect of the scheme in the usual course.

4. The remarks of the may be invited.

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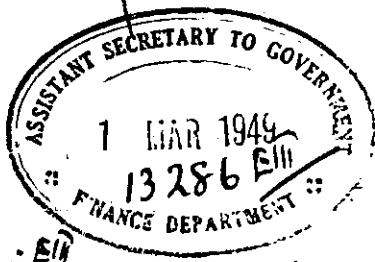
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Finance (E. III). Department.

The notes of E. & P.H. from the middle of page 9 above may be perused. The proposal in the file relates to the provision of a special ~~staff~~ department in the Government Headquarters Hospital, Bellary, for the treatment of Venereal diseases. It has been stated that the incidence of Venereal diseases, is abnormally high in Bellary Town and District. Sections 78, 79 and 80 of Madras Public Health Act, contain provision for the treatment of venereal diseases by the local authorities like Municipalities etc. In the present case, it is the Bellary Municipality that should take steps for the eradication of this disease. Under Section 78(1) of the Madras Public Health Act, it is open to the Government to compel the Bellary Municipal Council to adopt the scheme referred to above. L.A. Department have in this connection examined the financial position of the Bellary Municipality and have stated that the Municipal Council should not be saddled with any portion of the ^{cost of the} scheme in view of its slender finances. E. & P.H. have stated in this connection that according to P.W.R. Scheme No. 101

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which provides for the improvements or reconstruction as may be necessary, of all district headquarters hospitals, each hospital is to have among other things a special department ~~for~~ for the treatment of Venereal diseases cases and when the Headquarters Hospital ^{Bellary} is reorganised under this scheme, it will have a special department for the treatment of Venereal disease cases. As however, the reconstruction of the Headquarters Hospital is not on the programme for the first quinquennium and as it is not known whether it will be taken up even in the second or ^{the} third quinquennium and in view of the high incidence of Venereal Disease in Bellary, E.&P.H. have stated that ^{the} provision of a special department in the Headquarters Hospital, Bellary may be taken up in advance of the main scheme and that an advance grant may be claimed from the Government of India in respect of the scheme in the usual course. They have also stated that if there is no objection, the S.G. will be asked to obtain and forward plans and estimates for the construction of the required buildings etc. and that the scheme may then be considered in detail. According to the existing estimates furnished by the D.P.H., the extra cost involved will be Rs.36,675 recurring and Rs.1,10,000 non-recurring.

2. As pointed out by E. & P.H. themselves at 'M' on p.3 above, it is the duty of the local body concerned to make the necessary arrangements for the treatment of Venereal disease in Bellary. The scheme also cannot be said to be so very urgent ^{that it should} ~~as to~~ be taken up by the Government in the present financial stringency. There may be many other equally important medical and Public Health Schemes ~~in~~ requiring urgent action, and schemes can be taken up only in order of priority especially in view of the need for ^{an} ~~around~~ economy. It may also be stated in this connection that at present, Government are generally deferring schemes involving the construction of buildings at a large cost, as a measure of anti-inflation.

Finance may therefore advise that the proposal ~~it is also not known whether the Government of India will~~ may be deferred for the present.

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note on 1.1.6 (2)

cf 1.1.6 and 4
or 5 above

as to balance in budget without drawing upon reserve. The Govt. also directed that even sanctioned works should be postponed if even postponement would not result in any unprofitable outlay

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If, however, it is considered that the scheme should be proceeded with, this Department may suggest that it may be brought forward as a Part II scheme for 1950-51. If E.& P.H. press that the scheme should be given effect to in 1949-50 itself, the proposal constitutes a 'new service' and the appropriate 'new service' procedure will have to be followed.

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3. The proposal falls within the scope of P.W.R. Scheme No. 101 in the Printed Five Year Plan but being a new scheme, it requires the prior approval of the Government of India. That Government will have to be addressed first, for a grant, if the proposal is to be sanctioned for introduction in 1949-50 or 1950-51.

4. With reference to portion 'X' on E.& P.H. note on p.11 above, it is submitted that it is not correct to describe the Central grant to be obtained for the scheme as an 'advance' grant, as that term means a grant obtained for a P.W.R. Scheme executed before 1-4-47, that is, in advance of the Postwar quinquennium. The reason that this Government are to take up the scheme in advance of its turn, does not make a Central grant therefor an 'advance grant.' If the Government of India approve the scheme for execution in a year, it will be eligible for financial assistance out of the Central 'block' grant sanctioned for that year.

Thro' Exp. B. 6.3.49
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5/3/49

The Dept may advise that, in view of the present financial stringency, the scheme may be deferred & taken up in its turn under the P.W.R. programme.

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E.P.H



The summarising notes of Fm. from the middle of p 11 ante may be perused. Orders may now be obtained from HM (PH) and HM (Fm) whether

(1) ~~whether~~ the S.C.'s proposal to provide for a special Dept in the Govt. Headquarters Hospital, Bellary for the treatment of venereal diseases, may be taken up in advance of the main Post War Scheme ^{ND 104} and if so, ^{whether} the S.C. may be asked to obtain and forward to Govt. plans and estimates for the construction of required buildings for the venereal Dept

or
(2) in view of the present financial stringency, the Scheme may be deferred and taken up in its turn under the Post War Scheme.

ES
14-3-49

14/3/49

16-3-49 A.P./J.P.
17-3-49

Am / (Am)
Hm / 2

How do we know exactness of the incidence of V.D. in Bellary, was a census taken. Do we know of the incidence in other districts.

A

Why should not a modified scheme for all districts, atleast those with high incidence be considered. It can be on a partly self supporting basis - charges being recovered according to ability to pay.

B

Pl. see the orders in
circulation on the previous page.
A draft order is submitted for approval

ES
2/6/49
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5/4/49

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Statement of Extra Cost

	NP	PA	CA	HA
2 civil Asst. Surgeons 1 Men + 1 woman	196.2	42	39	-
1 female Social worker (60-70)	90	24	11	7
1 Lab. Technician (45-55)	90	63.3	24	11
5 Nurses { 3 men & 2 women } (85-150)	122.5	29.30	3	-
6 ~~male~~ Nursing orderlies (17-25) 4 male & 2 female	21.3	14	11	3
3 Sweepers (15-20)	17.5	19	11	11
1 Clerk - typist (45-50)	67.5	24	11	5
1 Attender (24-35)	30.6	19	11	3

Total.

536.4
121.0

92.3

922.5

259.8

109.5

96.5

52.6

2190.6

12

26,287.2

Rs. 26,300 p.a

Uniform allowance @ Rs 75/- p.a for
5 Nurses

375

Medicines & Equipment Rs

10,000

- Total Rs

36,675

DEMAND XXII—CINCHONA AND FISHERIES

43.—INDUSTRIES AND SUPPLIES—CINCHONA AND FISHERIES—cont.
Summary by Minor Heads and Sub-heads of appropriation—cont.

MINOR HEADS and SUB-HEADS of appropriation.		(1)		(2)		(3)		(4)		(5)		(6)		(7)		(8)		(9)	
Accounts, 1917-8.		Voted.		Charged.		Voted.		Charged.		Voted.		Charged.		Voted.		Charged.		Voted.	
43. e. FISHERIES—		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.		RS.	
A. DIRECTION—		1. PAY OF OFFICERS		2. PAY OF ESTABLISHMENTS.		3. OTHER CHARGES		4. CHARGES RECOVERABLE FROM GOVERNMENTS, DEPARTMENTS, ETC.		B. PEARL AND CHANK FISHERIES—		1. PAY OF OFFICERS AND ESTABLISHMENTS		2. OTHER CHARGES		C. WEST COAST FISHERIES		D. DEEP-SEA FISHING EXPERTS	
E. TECHNOLOGICAL INSTITUTIONS		F. FISHERIES SCHOOLS—		1. PAY AND ALLOWANCES OF ESTABLISHMENTS		2. OTHER CHARGES		G. INLAND FISHERIES—		(CENTRAL)—		1. PAY OF OFFICERS AND ESTABLISHMENTS		2. FISH BREEDING AND STOCKING		3. COMPENSATION TO LOCAL BODIES FOR LOSS OF FISHERY RENTALS		4. OTHER CHARGES	
6. CHARGES RECOVERABLE FROM GOVERNMENTS, DEPARTMENTS, ETC.		(ii) INLAND FISHERIES (DEVELOPMENT)—		1. PAY OF OFFICERS AND ESTABLISHMENTS		2. FISH BREEDING AND STOCKING		3. OTHER CHARGES		H. INLAND FISHERY RESEARCH		1. PAY OF OFFICERS AND ESTABLISHMENTS		2. OTHER CHARGES		3. CHARGES RECOVERABLE FROM GOVERNMENTS, DEPARTMENTS, ETC.		J. FRESHWATER BIOLOGICAL STATION, MADRAS—	
I. PAY OF OFFICERS AND ESTABLISHMENTS		2. OTHER CHARGES		K. OYSTER FARM, POLIGAT		Carried over ..		13,07,500		10,100		7,400		19,200		2,05,200		15,800	
19,000		2,42,700		3,23,100		1,11,000		2,42,700		63,800		36,900		36,000		52,000		77,200	
..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..		..	
11,900		8,000		20,100		12,100		14,800		8,400		10,700		2,100		13,07,500		..	